

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A liquid crystal display device comprising:
a pair of substrates opposing each other with a gap
5 therebetween, a liquid crystal layer being held between the
pair of substrates;
transparent electrodes provided on the liquid crystal
layer side of each of the pair of substrates so that the
transparent electrodes on one of the substrates intersect the
10 transparent electrodes on the other substrate;
metal lead wirings provided on one of the substrates to
be connected to the transparent electrodes on the one
substrate so that ends of the transparent electrodes on the
one substrate are overlapped on the lead wirings to form
15 overlap portions; and
a transparent dummy electrode provided for controlling
the gap at a position on the other substrate opposite to a
connection portion between the transparent electrodes and the
lead wirings on the one substrate;
20 wherein the transparent dummy electrode is formed to
avoid positions opposite to the overlap portions.
2. A liquid crystal display device according to claim 1,
wherein the transparent dummy electrode is also provided on
25 portions opposite to the spaces between the ends of the
transparent electrodes on the one substrate.
3. A liquid crystal display device according to claim 1,

wherein the transparent electrodes on the one substrate are wider than the lead wirings.